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BICYCLIST BRING OUT A CANDIDATE

**May Carry Their Fight Into Every Ward at
the Primaries Wednesday**

Republicans of the third ward have brought out Otto Wilson for alderman. He is a prominent bicycle dealer, and the fight of the wheel riders will be made to put him on the ticket at the Republican primaries Wednesday, and to defeat Gid Stolz, who championed the present restriction ordinance. The

ordinance was first passed by the hayseed council, and then repealed by them, and then the ordinance was revived by the veto of the mayor. The wheelmen are disposed to take the fight for their rights into the contest in each ward of the city at the primaries tomorrow and into the election on December 7th.

Contracts no Account

Judge Boise this afternoon, in the circuit court, decided the hop contract cases, recently heard in that court, on demurrer. The cases were those of T. A. Livesley & Co. against John Johnston, Jr., et al., in Marion county, and the same plaintiffs against Helise, in Polk county. The actions were brought to enforce the contracts and compel the growers to deliver the hops contracted for, at the agreed price.

Judge Boise held that plaintiffs, in their contracts, agreed to furnish money for cultivating and harvesting the crops, provided in the judgment of the plaintiffs or their agents the

hops were of the quality contracted for, this to be decided by the plaintiffs, and that defendants had no voice in the matter. He held that the contract was not enforceable, on the part of the defendants; that defendant had demanded money under the contract, and plaintiffs had decided the hops were not of choice quality; the defendants would, under the contract, have been estopped from bringing an action to enforce the contract.

As the contract could not be enforced, when plaintiffs' judgment was against the acceptance of the hops, Judge Boise held the contracts to be void; that a contract not equally enforceable by both parties was void. He, therefore, sustained the demurrer to the complaint in either case.

Mr. Slater, attorney for plaintiffs, at once gave notice of appeal to the supreme court.

LINN COUNTY NEWS

Poor Place for Strychnine.

Herald, Nov. 24th: The family of Cyrus H. Walker, living near this city, had a very narrow escape from being poisoned Sunday. When Mr. Walker was building a fire in the kitchen stove, early in the morning, while the room was yet dark, he heard something fall from a shelf above the stove and strike the tea kettle. He didn't notice that it went into the kettle, and thought nothing about it at the time.

No water from this tea kettle was used at breakfast, but at dinner some was used in making gravy. Mr. and Mrs. Walker also wanted to drink some hot water from the kettle at dinner, and they noticed that it tasted very bitter.

Upon investigation a gram bottle of strychnine was found in the tea kettle. The cork was yet in the bottle, but considerable of the poison had soaked through the cork into the boiling water.

Fortunately Mr. and Mrs. Walker had drunk none of the poisoned water. Dr. Davis was summoned, as it was feared some of the family might have been poisoned by eating the gravy. But none of them showed any symptoms of being poisoned, although it was a narrow escape for all of them.

Bridge is Again Dangerous.

Herald, Nov. 24th: The Southern Pacific railroad bridge on the Woodburn-Natron branch across the South Santiam river is again threatened by high water, and it is considered so dangerous that the Woodburn-Natron

trains come through Albany, via the Corvallis & Eastern road front Shellburn and the Lebanon branch to Tallman yesterday. They will continue to make their regular runs by coming through this city as long as the water is high in the Santiam. This bridge, though not damaged in any way, is always considered dangerous during high water.

A Hungry Burglar.

Democrat, November 24: The residence of N. H. Wheeler was broken into Saturday night or Sunday morning, entrance being effected through the screen and window of the pantry, the exit being made through the kitchen door. A roll of butter, six loaves of bread, six or seven pounds of bacon, some preserves and a few other things were taken. Some extracts on the window sill were taken and placed on the ground. Tracks under the window showed a number of foot.

Prunes for England.

Herald, Nov. 24th: Fortmiller & LaSelle Brothers, of this city, have received an order for a carload of dried prunes from London. A carload contains 30,000 pounds, so the shipment will not be a small one. From the nature of this order they are anticipating further orders from London.

Although they have shipped 30 carloads, aggregating almost one million pounds of dried prunes this year, this is the first order for a foreign shipment that this firm has received. It is probably the first foreign order for a direct shipment of Oregon prunes ever received in this state.

ALICE GREW WEARY

**Little Lord Fontleroy
Style of Life Grew
Tiresome**

**Went to the Other Extreme
and Picked Up a Bench
Legged Ignorant
Servant**

Berlin, Nov. 24.—Details published today relative to the elopement of Princess Alice give the coachman's name as Eliotio Martini an Italian who is the husband of one of the princess' housemaids. He is a swarthy, ugly man of horsey manners and a coarse voice. The princess is tall, graceful and ultra refined, and her husband is also a man of refinement and of powerful figure. He was the only one who was ignorant for some time past of his wife's infatuation for Maerna.

Princess Alice's elopement was not unsuspected by her adherents, who claim that, although the prince joined the Catholic church in order to marry her, he soon became intolerant, and conducted a liaison with a Dresden actress. One story is that Martini's wife surprised the princess and her husband, and abused the princess for alienating her husband's affections. The prince, aroused by the noise, quarreled with the princess, who later left the castle, after which Martini was kicked out. Martini followed the princess on the next train to Milan.

But Why Try Them?

St. Louis, Nov. 24.—The trial of Albert Morrow, formerly Governor Dockor's private secretary, and former Marshal Barrett, for conspiracy in the naturalization frauds, began this morning.

His Last Scene.

New York, Nov. 24.—Julian Walbridge Rix, the well-known painter of California scenery, died here today.

STRIKE STILL REIGNS

**Strikers Beat a Couple
of Detectives Se-
verely**

**Only Hitch In the Settlement
Now Is the Reinstatement
of "Sympathetic"
Strikers**

Chicago, Nov. 24.—Despite the fact that peace is near in the car strike, the day again opened with violence. At dawn Private detective Capper, guarding the trolley wires, was beaten insensibly. Shortly after, Detective Connelly, guarding wires, was also beaten into insensibility, and a number of trolley wires cut. Another attempt was made this morning to operate the State-street line. Six cars were sent out under heavy guards.

The hitch in the car strike appears today to be the treatment which will be accorded to those who struck in sympathy. The carmen insist they shall be reinstated.

When the State-street cars attempted to start, it was discovered that steel rails had been thrust between the spokes of the cable wheel, nearly wrecking it. When the cars approached the strikers' headquarters the police attempted to clear the pavements, and were compelled to use their clubs. A crowd gathered on the opposite side of the street, and 200 men assailed the cars. The policemen's clubs were again brought into action, but the cars proceeded but a half block when they struck an iron wedge driven into the slot, and were stalled two hours.

Killed Eighty Moros.

Manila, Nov. 24.—The Wood expedition has returned to Jolo. They fought a battle Friday in the hills, and captured and destroyed a Moro stronghold. One American was killed and two wounded. Eighty Moros were killed.

A Thanksgiving Donation

For Tomorrow's business, for every \$1.00 purchase in the coffee and tea department we will put up 50¢ worth extra, which we will send to any needy family in the city which the purchaser may name, and we will deliver the packages to any part of the city with the compliments of the person sending them.

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